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SUBJECT: CCMS AD HOC MEETING: TRANSPORTATION PILOT STUDY  
PROPOSALS

REF: A) LONDON 10393, B) STATE 134939

1. AD HOC MEETING PARTICIPANTS AGREED JULY 3 TO RECOMMEND  
U.S. PILOT STUDY PROPOSAL ON ROLE OF TRANSPORTATION IN  
URBAN REVITALIZATION FOR CONSIDERATION BY FALL 1978 CCMS  
PLENARY. CONSENSUS WAS THAT, INITIALLY AT LEAST, PROJECT  
BE LIMITED TO INFORMATION EXCHANGE. FRENCH, ITALIAN AND  
FRG REPS INDICATED THEIR COUNTRIES WOULD PARTICIPATE.  
NETHERLANDS INDICATED MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION PROBABLY  
WILLING TO TAKE PART. BELGIUM, WHILE NOT AGAINST PROPOSAL,  
MIGHT FIND IT DIFFICULT TO PARTICIPATE FOR FINANCIAL  
REASONS. BRITISH WILLING TO PRESENT STUDY PROPOSAL FOR  
CONSIDERATION BY FALL PLENARY. ALL PARTICIPANTS ACCEPTED  
DRAFT BRITISH REVISION OF PROPOSAL LANGUAGE (REF A).

2. ACCEPTANCE OF URBAN TRANSPORTATION WAS SUBJECT TO ASSU-  
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RANCES, TO BE PRESENTED IN FINAL PAPER FOR FALL PLENARY,  
THAT PROJECT WOULD INVOLVE NO DUPLICATION OF ONGOING WORK  
IN OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS.

3. CCMS STUDY OF RURAL PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION PROPOSED  
BY U.S. WAS MET WITH MORE RESTRAINED REACTION THAN URBAN  
TRANSPORTATION PROPOSAL. ITALIAN PARTICIPANT, REFLECTING

VIEWS OF OTHER DELEGATES, NOTED THAT NATO COUNTRIES HAD NO COMMON GROUND FOR RURAL TRANSPORTATION STUDY. SINCE RURAL TRANSPORTATION IS HIGHLY DECENTRALIZED IN ITALY, IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT TO ASSURE COOPERATION OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES RESPONSIBLE FOR TRANSPORTATION. AD HOC MEETING CAME TO CONCLUSION THAT PROPOSAL COULD BE ON OCTOBER AGENDA, BUT, EXCEPT FOR FRANCE, THERE WERE NO STRONG INDICATIONS OF SUPPORT. BENNETT

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